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SUBJECT: IRAQI-LEBANESE RELATIONS

1. NEW LEBANESE AMBASSADOR SOUHAIL CHAMMAS WAS RECEIVED BY RCC VP SADDAM HUSSEIN ON SEPT 20, CHAMMAS SAID HE EXPLAINED GOL POLICIES AND WAS IMPRESSED BY SADDAM'S REALISTIC APPROACH. HE PROMISED TO GIVE ME MORE DETAILS THIS WEEK.

2. COMMENT: SINCE SADDAM HUSSEIN DOES NOT NORMALLY RECEIVE AMBASSADORS, THIS GESTURE COULD SIGNAL BEGINNING OF RESTORATION FULL FRIENDLY RELATIONS BETWEEN TWO COUNTRIES.
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